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(C) On April 7, Jang Hyun-cheol, Deputy Director of the Human Rights and Social Affairs Division at the Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Trade, told poloff that Seoul would shortly announce its support for the USG candidate to the International Narcotics Control Board (INCB). Next week or the week starting April 17, Seoul would announce that it supported the re-election of Ambassador (retired) Levitsky, as it had in the previous election.